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TAGS: GE, PGOV, ETRD

SUBJECT: REPORTED TAX ON U.S. TECHNOLOGY IMPORTS

REFERENCE: BERLIN 04338

USDOC/BEWT IS NOT AWARE OF ANY PROPOSED 30 PERCENT
TARIFF ON U.S. IMPORTS OF TECHNOLOGY. GDR LICENSE
BUREAU MAY BE CONFUSING THIS WITH CURRENT 30 PERCENT
WITHHOLDING TAX ON AMOUNTS DERIVED BY FOREIGN PERSONS
AS ROYALTIES FOR THE USE OF THEIR INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY
RIGHTS IN THE U.S. THIS RATE CAN BE REDUCED IN
ACCORDANCE WITH A DOUBLE TAXATION AGREEMENT. FOR
EXAMPLE, THE U.S.-POLISH AGREEMENT REDUCES THE RATE TO
10 PERCENT. SUGGEST YOU CHECK WITH LICENSE BUREAU TO
SEE IF THIS IS WHAT THEY HAD IN MIND. CHRISTOPHER

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